

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
CHARLOTTE DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA) DOCKET NO. 3:05CR281-MU
)
 v.)
) **ORDER**
 AUGUSTINE RIVERA RIVERA, ET AL)
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THIS MATTER is before the Court upon Government's Motion to Sever defendants' cases for trial.

The Court finds for the reasons stated in the Government's Motion to Sever that the motion is **GRANTED**.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the cases of (1) Augustine Antonio Rivera Rivera, (2) Jose Daniel Rivera Rivera, (3) Elton Rodriguez and (4) Ignacio Manuel Rodriguez are hereby severed for all further proceedings.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the trial of (4) Ignacio Manuel Rodriguez shall begin during the 4 April 2006 criminal term in the Charlotte Division.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the trial of (2) Jose Daniel Rivera Rivera shall begin during the 6 May 2006 criminal term in the Charlotte Division.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the trial of (3) Elton Rodriguez shall begin during the 5 June 2006 criminal term in the Charlotte Division.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the trial of (1) Augustine Antonio Rivera Rivera shall begin during the 18 July 2006 criminal term in the Charlotte Division.

Signed: March 13, 2006

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Graham C. Mullen", written over a horizontal line.

Graham C. Mullen
United States District Judge



This _____ day of March 2006.

GRAHAM C. MULLEN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE